

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

**MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN, and  
CATHLEEN SULLIVAN,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**vs.**

**JESUS GARZA,**

**Defendant.**

**4:20CV3015**

**SECOND AMENDED  
CASE PROGRESSION ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on the parties' Joint Text Email Motion for Extension of the Deadlines in the Case Progression Order (Filing No. 54). After review of the parties' motion, the Court finds good cause to grant the requested extensions. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the amended case progression order is amended as follows:

- 1) The deadline for completing expert disclosures<sup>1</sup> for all experts expected to testify at trial, (both retained experts, ([Fed. R. Civ. P. 26\(a\)\(2\)\(B\)](#)), and non-retained experts, ([Fed. R. Civ. P. 26\(a\)\(2\)\(C\)](#)), are:

Plaintiffs' rebuttal: **July 23, 2021**

- 2) The deposition deadline, including but not limited to depositions for oral testimony only under Rule 45, is **November 5, 2021**.
- 3) The planning conference scheduled for August 9, 2021, is cancelled. The trial and pretrial conference will not be set at this time. A planning conference to discuss case progression, dispositive motions, the parties' interest in settlement, and the trial and pretrial conference settings will be held with the undersigned magistrate judge on **November 5, 2021**, at **9:00 a.m.** by telephone. Counsel shall use the conferencing instructions assigned to this case to participate in the conference.
- 4) The deadline for filing motions to dismiss and motions for summary judgment is **December 3, 2021**.
- 5) The deadline for filing motions to exclude testimony on *Daubert* and related grounds is **December 3, 2021**.
- 6) The parties shall comply with all other stipulations and agreements recited in their Rule 26(f) planning report that are not inconsistent with this order.

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<sup>1</sup> While treating medical and mental health care providers are generally not considered "specially retained experts," not all their opinions relate to the care and treatment of a patient. Their opinion testimony is limited to what is stated within their treatment documentation. As to each such expert, any opinions which are not stated within that expert's treatment records and reports must be separately and timely disclosed.

- 7) All requests for changes of deadlines or settings established herein shall be directed to the undersigned magistrate judge. Such requests will not be considered absent a showing of due diligence in the timely progression of this case and the recent development of circumstances, unanticipated prior to the filing of the motion, which require that additional time be allowed.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2021.

BY THE COURT:

s/Michael D. Nelson  
United States Magistrate Judge